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Frank Engler's Regiment the 32nd Fought 20 German Crack Divisions

NOW AT THE RHINE WHERE CONVALESCENT SONOMA BOY MAY
YET JOIN COMRADES

The following letter has been received from Frank Engler who has been in a big base hospital in France after notable fighting with the 32nd division, one of the gallant fighting units of the war. The letter and clipping accompanying it are self explanatory:

Orleans, Nov. 24, 1918

Dear Father:

Today is Dad's day and everybody has to write his dad a letter. Well I am out and around again and feel fine. I was examined and got class A. I am sending you a clipping out of the New York Herald, so you can see what the division I belong to was doing and you can see where I fought. The 32nd is on their way to the Rhine and when I leave here I might have to go back to them again, so if I do, I won't be home very soon, but if I don't, I will be home very soon as everything back here is, "When are we going home?" I guess the bunch are glad the war is over and all the rest of the nations too. They sure suffered some over here. Believe me, I will be glad when I get out of this place, all you hear spoken here is French and when I was in bed, I even had a French nurse. I got several letters of late and also one from Arthur. I am going to get paid in a few days and then I am going to get a furlough and go to see him. I suppose you are busy these days keeping supplies moving this way. I think they will start sending men back about the first of next month and after that they will be going back fast as they came over. As this is about all the news, I will close.

Hoping this finds you all in the best of health and my best regards to all,

Your son,
Frank Engler.

(Special Telegram to the Herald)

With the American Armies, Thursday

"When the American army of occupation started its march toward the Rhine on November 17, one of our crack divisions, the Thirty-Second, was celebrating an anniversary. Just six months before this division first planted the American flag on German soil in Alsace. On May 10, Wisconsin and Michigan men came under enemy shell fire, and from that date to November 11, the division has outranged Boche guns. Only ten days after its turn in the trenches, the Thirty-Second chased the Boche from

the Oureq to the Vosle. Then it went to the sector north of Soissons and stormed Juvigny Plateau, fighting side by side with the heroic "poilus" of General Mangin. After that victory with the French it had a rest for ten days before getting ready for the final drive. The American army's scrap north of Verdun was but three days old when the Thirty-Second went in, and for the next three weeks the Wisconsin and Michigan boys battled the Boche for Kreinhilde Stellung. It was they who finally broke through the key position of "La Dame Marie", from which they then pushed on to Freya Stellung, pushing the Boche gunners out of Bantheville Wood. They carried the line up to the point where the final attack, on November 1, was launched and followed in support of the divisions which crossed the Meuse at Dun and captured Stenay. In the last few days of the war, the Thirty-Second went into line in the Meuse bridgehead sector, and with the French were in the midst of an attack when the armistice stopped fighting. During the war the division has fought on five fronts—Alsace, the Vesle, Soissons, Argonne and the Meuse and has fought twenty of Germany's best divisions, among them the Prussian Guards. It has never yielded a yard of ground to the enemy's counter attacks."

Mr. and Mrs. Emile Andrieux, (nee Josephine Steiner) of San Francisco spent Christmas at the McDevitt home.

Jep Valente was much complimented on his holiday. Tom and Jerry. The interest of Frank Koenig in the business was bought out by Valente some time ago and he is now sole proprietor.

Stewart McDonnell, of Sebastopol, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McDonnell, has been down with the influenza.

Aviator Stevenot, who was scheduled to fly up from San Diego and take Christmas dinner with his sister Mrs. Gerick of Tomales, is a former Sonoma boy, the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Stevenot who resided here some years ago. His sister, Mrs. Gerick was formerly Miss Mamie Stevenot.

James McElney spent Christmas with his family in San Francisco.

Happy New Year to All Our Readers

WEDDING BELLS FOR HAMIL WAGNON

Gunners Mate Wins Vallejo Belle
For His Bride.

Hamil Wagon, son of Postmaster and Mrs. John Wagon of this place, and a gunners mate on the U. S. S. destroyer, Boggs at Mare Island was married in Vallejo last Sunday to Miss May H. Malacarne of that city. Miss Malacarne is a charming young lady of small stature and auburn hair and has been a popular employee of one of the leading stores of the navy town. The young folks met since Mr. Wagon was assigned to the destroyer there and it is said to have been a case of love at first sight.

Hamil Wagon is a fine young American, a graduate of the Chico Normal and was teaching at the military academy in San Rafael when he enlisted in the navy. He first went in as a yeoman but soon realized he wanted something more heroic and of scientific interest, so he went in for the big guns, which he soon mastered. The U. S. S. Boggs has been expected to leave Vallejo on a cruise and is now expected to go right after the first of the year.

After the wedding ceremony Sunday which was performed by Rev. Father McMullin and attended by the family of the bride and by the groom's mother, the happy couple went to San Francisco where they spent their honeymoon. They will be up Sunday on a visit to their Sonoma relatives.

Mrs. Morgan of the Glove Factory was presented with a pretty cut glass dish for Christmas by the girls of the sewing department.

Hugh Hyde, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hyde of Berkeley, has been ill with the "flu."

Walter Steurner, who has been with an aviation corps in England, returned home in time for Christmas. Walter has been in the army ten months and has seen a lot of the country since leaving Sonoma.

The Red Men will have the annual grand Christmas tree and presents for the children of the lodge tonight at Odd Fellows hall.

Mrs. A. Moebes has won the contest which decided that she is to be the guardian of her little grandson, James Hoffman, who is a half orphan and heir to a comfortable estate. It was decided in the courts of San Francisco.

Rev. Pfeiffer, formerly pastor of the Congregational church has been here from Berkeley visiting Henry Watters.

Tom Baines has sold 20 acres of the P. I. company land to L. Larbre of El Verano who will farm it.

HOLIDAY OLIVE OIL AT MISSION CREAMERY

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RAY COOPER WRITES FROM SCOTLAND

Ray Cooper has written an interesting letter acknowledging the fine Christmas box sent by his folks here. He is stationed at Navy Base Hospital No. 2, at Strasspeffer, Scotland. It is 300 miles northwest of Edinburgh, near the North Sea and close to the Grand Fleet, with all the surrendered German war ships, the mine fleet and mine bases disband, Ray's hospital will go too, but otherwise the hospital will continue. There are only 250 patients at present, among them, the American ambassador to Russia. Many Russian patients are received. They come across the North Sea from Archangel. Some of the prisoners of war are coming in also to Coopers hospital and he declares they are in awful shape. He says the influenza epidemic where he is, has subsided.

Ray, who was the former popular clerk with Bordson & Gottenberg has been doing fine work in the operating room of the big base hospital and also with the ambulance corps. There are 300 in his crew and the hospital consists of a medical unit and two surgical units. They are situated between Inverness and Kyle, on the Caldonian canal. Ray predicts that he will be home in three months unless ordered into the transport service.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clewe entertained 18 at a big dinner party Christmas day, their guests being relatives from out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hansen dispensed hospitality on Christmas and a number of friends were royally entertained at a fine dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Baccala have been among those suffering from la grippe.

Florence and Coleman Campbell went down to San Francisco from last Thursday to Monday to do their Christmas shopping.

Lt. A. M. Thomson who is in Virginia expects to get a captain's commission in the Officers Reserve Corps before being mustered out of active service. No more commissions are being granted in active service so the doctor has decided not to remain in the army. The time of his homecoming is not yet known. He was granted only a short furlough for the Christmas holiday.

Miss Adele Livernash spent Xmas with her sister, Mrs. James Modini. A fine Christmas tree and much festivity centered around little Jim Jr. during the holiday.

Mrs. Walter Bundschu has been a sufferer from the influenza. Mr. Bundschu was also ill.

Mrs. Frank Groskopf was here from S. F. spending Xmas with her folks. Her husband is expected from Camp Lewis on New Years.

YOUNG COUPLE ARE TO WED

Emmett Gottenberg Will Lead Miss
Mabel Jones To The Altar.

Emmett Gottenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gottenberg of this place and at present in the employ of the University club in San Francisco as book-keeper has announced his engagement to Miss Mabel Jones, formerly of the Sonoma High School faculty and now teaching in San Luis Obispo county.

The young couple met here in Sonoma and for some time it has been whispered that their engagement would be announced.

Miss Jones is a petite and vivacious young woman of the brunette type, a graduate of the university and a specialist in chemistry and domestic science. She resides with her mother and when here they occupied the Lowell cottage.

Mr. Gottenberg is a very estimable young man and has a host of friends in this valley who will heartily congratulate him on having won the heart and hand of the popular school teacher.

ALL HAD A JOYOUS TIME AT GLOVE CUTTERS DANCE

The Glove cutters dance last Saturday night was well attended and all had a jolly time despite the electric lights which the wind storm put on the blink. The music furnished was the latest jazz hits and refreshments at midnight added to the pleasure of the evening. It was a financial success.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clements' little one has been quite sick at Eden Dale.

Ralph Buchan drew the lucky straw for a Christmas furlough and was home with his folks here accompanied by some naval friends.

Pete Quartaroli of the Sebastiani Cannery has returned from San Jose and Stockton and is being welcomed by his many Sonoma friends.

Mrs. Lloyd Hotz of Seattle whose husband is in the army has been very ill with the flu.

Mrs. Emily T. Miller of El Verano, daughter of Postmaster M. F. Mullen was married this week in Santa Rosa to John A. Vincent, son of the well known butcher. Vincent is 30 years of age and his bride 28.

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How Christmas Was Observed In Sonoma Valley

FAMILY REUNIONS AND RELIGIOUS SERVICES MARK DAY OF
NATIVITY WHICH WAS JOYOUS ONE THIS YEAR

Ideal weather, bright, clear and cold, characterized the Christmas week in Sonoma Valley which celebrated with true fervor this year. Family reunions in which many soldiers and sailors participated were general and Sunday school children and churches united in the glad holiday.

The Methodist church dedicated its Christmas celebration Monday evening to the Armenian relief work and the children of the Sunday school gave to this noble cause. There was an appropriate tableau, emblematic of the Armenian appeal and also a program with songs and recitations. The evening offerings yielded almost \$20 for the unfortunate sufferers of the stricken people in the far away country.

A beautiful Christmas tree for the Sunday school children of the Con-

gregational church was a part of the program of that denomination for Monday evening. There was also a social and informal program heartily enjoyed by all present.

At St. Francis church there were two masses, both of which were well attended. The regular choir rendered the music at the early mass and at the latter Miss Brendel of Santa Rosa sang Adam's "Noel" most beautifully. Miss Florence Green accompanied her. A fine sermon on the resurrection was given by Rev. T. P. Moran. Emile Valente was organist at both early and late mass.

At the Sonoma State Home there was appropriate services, Christmas carols and a fine turkey dinner.

A Christmas tree last Friday at the Grammar school and Christmas songs marked the closing for the holiday week.

ELDRIDGE

Countless were the congratulations and good wishes received by Mr. and Mrs. Clark Gaines upon their return to Eldridge Saturday night. They were married in Stockton Monday by a former pastor of Mrs. Gaines. Mrs. Gaines was formerly Miss Sylvia Hatch and made her home in Santa Rosa for many years. She ran the St. Catherine's hospital and while in that city made many friends. Several years ago she came to the "Home" where she became head nurse at the hospital.

Mr. Gaines has been connected with the "Home" for quite a few years. He is a brother of Mrs. Geo. Breitenbach of Sonoma and is well known in the mission city. Mr. and Mrs. Gaines are great favorites with everyone at Eldridge and it was with great pleasure that their friends welcomed them home again. An informal reception was tendered them last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Frank Marshall of Santa Rosa came down to visit her mother, Mrs. A. J. Bailey last Monday night. Mrs. Marshall has just received word from her husband saying that he had been over the top eight times.

Everyone at Eldridge enjoyed the vaudeville show that was given here Monday afternoon and evening. The entertainers were very clever and gave a high class performance.

Mrs. Campidonica of San Francisco is visiting at the home of her parents in Glen Ellen over the holidays. She accompanied her sister, Miss Marian Panerazi to the entertainments given at the Home on Sunday and Monday nights.

A little daughter arrived in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Peterson of Eldridge on Tuesday morning,

although it weighed nine pounds, the little lady is not quite old enough to realize the full joys of Christmas, such as a Xmas tree, roast turkey, etc, so the little girl will have to wait a while.

Mrs. Nason, head of the commercial department of the Santa Rosa High school and junior college, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Hill over the holiday.

The friends of Mrs. J. Small were delighted to have the chance of hearing her daughter, Miss Ethel Small sing on Sunday at the Home. Miss Small has a pleasing soprano voice.

The Christmas season is the gayest time of the year at the Sonoma State Home at Eldridge. Everything possible is done to make the children happy, amusements, presents and good "eats" were provided for everyone.

RED CROSS NOW HAS 835 MEMBERS

835 members is the proud number of Red Cross members enrolled during the recent drive. The names will be published next week. Be sure yours is among them.

Delivery of Christmas mail has been disrupted by the discontinuance of the rural carrier service due to sickness in the carrier's family so Postmaster Wagon announces. Rural patrons have to come to town for their mail until further notice.

Mrs. Erasmus of "Crescent Acres" is enjoying a lovely Christmas visit from her mother and sister of Kansas City.

There is talk already of starting a baseball team in Sonoma for the coming season. This is the healthiest sign that the war is over that we have seen yet.

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The Outlook

WHAT IS THE OUTLOOK in Sonoma Valley for 1919? We are looking the future right in the face, so let us have the answer! In order to answer it intelligently and make the matter plain to us, look back at the year just closing. We will all admit that despite the war, Sonoma Valley had a very prosperous year. The prosperity was due to the speeding up of industry, the interest taken in this section by capital in our productivity and in our ability to supply help or labor to keep the wheels of industry whirling. So there was an industrial quickening, and into our hitherto pastoral rural life, came new business and factories. This brought obvious prosperity, and when coupled with the demand which the war occasioned for our fruits and our wines, the price of which soared as never before, Sonoma valley really came into its own and the stagnation which prevailed for many years gave way to a new stream of life in every local artery. Directly and indirectly Sonoma benefitted from the big new Sebastiani cannery, the unprecedented demand for Sonoma valley wines, the high price of grapes, apples, pears, dried fruit and poultry produce, the coming of the Glove Factory, the organization of the Apple Growers Association and other new enterprises. The war created a demand which Sonoma products helped supply and created also an opportunity for a market which perhaps in times of normal competition would have been denied us. We have most assuredly established a wonderful market for our wines in the East and Europe and never before have our vineyards been so valuable. With the price of wine as it has been in many instances of late on big Eastern shipments, grapes are worth \$90 per ton and as much as \$60 has actually been paid some vineyardists. Grapes, particularly the dry wine type, cannot be grown anywhere or everywhere. Sonoma's sun-kissed valley and hills from Rhine Farm's ridge to the famous London ranch and then beyond to Bennett and Los Guillicos valley's have mother nature's gift, rich and rare indeed, for here has been bestowed all that God ere conjured to make the luscious grape for the richest bouquet wines. It took a world war to gain for our vineyards a hearing, but we have established unquestionably now a permanent and decided market.

As for other products turned out here the past year, as for instance tomatoes say, the output should increase and from all accounts, the Sebastiani brand of pack and sauce, won out on its merit wherever distributed. Help should be more plentiful and with prices remaining good, this plant should prosper. The fact should not be lost sight of that profits and success of the wine and brandy business made this cannery possible and has been aiding in the substantial backing which Mr. Sebastiani has been giving to it.

As to our fruits, Sonoma valley has great competition on every side and whereas, we may hold our own well, particularly now with organization, there is not the individuality about the fruit business that there is in grapes and wine.

Glove making is to remain an integral part of our industrial life, so we are assured, so that will make Sonoma's payroll that much better the year round. But surveying the entire outlook—aside from the tomato cannery, nothing looks so promising of prosperity and fame as our vineyard products. The success of 1919 is assured? No, within our grasp, and in the light of all reason should be a foregone conclusion unless for a killing frost or some unforeseen act of Providence.

But to artificially, and by legislation, kill and stamp out this great industry in which Sonoma Valley and other sections of California are so vitally concerned, is unthinkable. Up-root this prejudice, this wild insanity, this senseless panacea for excess, this confiscatory punishment of evil doers at the expense of honest industry and god given advantage, and we will prosper in 1919.

There is in our vineyards today, what is known as resistant stock, it defies the ravages of a scaly visitation called phylloxera. We believe that our vineyardists are of resistant stock also, and that they will resist, defy and ultimately triumph over the moral pin-heads which are at the present time infesting this country and that prosperity will not be deliberately destroyed through fallacy and prejudice. If California, home of the vineyards, ratifies the national prohibition amendment, she will be befouling her own nest.

A Wise Resolve For 1919

AMONG THE MANY RESOLUTIONS which you may embrace religiously with the arrival of 1919 with its clean slate for your next year's record, it might be well to include a resolution not to sign petitions too freely or subscribe your name to any movement unless you are in full possession of the facts and can give time and consideration thereto. Cause and effect should be seriously studied. A frailty of most of us to feel flattered when asked for our signature to any document however insidious, is well understood by tricksters, and thus petitions have come to be a favorite means to their ends. When one becomes involved in some complication through the machinations of designing circulators of petitions, the victim usually sits up and takes notice, swearing that never again will the charlatan catch him napping. But the resolution is usually short lived and with fresh camouflage and a new line of plausibility, the petition catches us again and again. As a rule there is a hidden motive behind the petition activity, but when popularized by a large list of people seemingly desirous for that for which they pray, it clouds the real issue, offsets the suspicions of the powers-that-be and those with an axe to grind, thus "get by". In nine cases out of ten, if a proposition has merit, the petition is unnecessary.

The initiative and referendum is a much abused arrangement and lends itself to all sorts of reprehensible things. Theoretically, it might have seemed all right to its sponsors, but a train of evils have followed in its wake as in the case of the recall. It is dead easy to start a recall with a petition eagerly signed by the stampeded percentage necessary to gain for it recognition, but when the voters, including many of the petition signers, get "hip" to the "nigger in the woodpile," the result is in almost every case a victory for the square deal. In these cases, barring the expense, and the trouble to which worthy people can be subjected, there is usually enlightenment and clarification after the bubble bursts, but in many other instances, petitions in per se are evils to be taboed, for there is no comeback.

Petitions do not often constitute a true record of a person's views or sentiments but are simply expressive of sympathy or friendship for the

circulator or a registered indifference to the proposition set forth. While this is well understood by those to whom petitions are addressed, they act on the documents just as though every signature was a bona-fide wish, and there the wrong is done.

If you do not wish to be imposed on, do not be inveigled into signing petitions promiscuously during 1919. Some petitions of course are inspired by the best motives, with nothing ulterior about them. Some are sponsored by the fanatical, some by the irresponsible, some by the over zealous progressive, but all should be taken with a grain of salt and the salt thrown over the shoulder into the bargain. A little superstition in regard to signing petitions in 1919 would be a healthy sign indeed for the American people.

CAPTURE OF MAN ALLEGED TO HAVE STOLEN HORSES

Jim Silva, aged 26 years, was arrested in Richmond yesterday afternoon by Marshal Walker on the advice of Sheriff Keating of Marin county on a charge of horse stealing.

Silva is alleged to have entered the barn at Tubbs Island ranch, conducted by Mr. Hall of San Rafael, and deliberately took two fine driving horses and a saddle horse out of the stable. He had placed a double harness on the horses and saddled the pony. He then left, going by way of the Black Point Cut-off bridge. He was seen passing over the bridge at midnight Friday by the bridge tender, with the horses. Yesterday morning he boarded the Richmond ferry at 8:45 and went to Richmond where he was leading the horses down the street. He was detained at that place until Deputy Sheriff Rasmussen and Reynolds arrived and brought him back.

He told the officers that he did not steal the horses and that while sitting on a bench at San Rafael depot, a stranger asked him if he wanted to make some money. The stranger told him he would give him \$10 if he would take the horses to Richmond and thence to Twelfth and Franklin streets, Oakland. He said the man who hired him gave the name of John son. The officers do not believe the story.

Before Silva left for Santa Rosa last night, he told Deputy Sheriff Rasmussen that if he would come up to Santa Rosa he would talk to him, but he would not discuss the matter last night.

Silva had turned the saddle horse loose near Ignacio, where the animal was found in a field by Rasmussen and returned to the ranch. It is thought that Silva liberated the animal, fearing he would be caught.

Deputy Sheriff Rasmussen received word yesterday morning that three horses had been stolen at the Tubbs Island ranch and he immediately notified the Sheriff's office and soon, Deputy Reynolds arrived and left with Rasmussen for the ranch. They tracked the horses from the ranch to the Black Point bridge and thence to the Richmond ferry. They immediately notified Sheriff Keating at San Rafael and he in turn notified the Richmond marshal, and Silva was caught.

Deputy Rasmussen learned from

the foreman on the ranch that Jim Silva worked on the ranch last October for three weeks and then left. Of late he had been working on the state highway below Burdells and quit a few days ago. When arrested he was brought before the foreman of the ranch who recognized him as a former employee. Silva denied that he had ever worked on the ranch.

When arrested, Silva had about 90 cents and two pawn tickets, showing he had pawned an overcoat and other articles in San Rafael. It is thought that he came over to the Tubbs Island ranch Friday night on the N. W. P., and walked from Sears point to the ranch and stole the horses. The animals and harness were valued at \$500. He had in his possession a key from the Mint hotel San Francisco. Silva says that he came from Honolulu and has been here only a short time.

Before committing the theft, Silva cut the telephone wires from the ranch and when the robbery was discovered, the foreman had to go to the next ranch to telephone.

—Petaluma Courier.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their prompt and splendid assistance at the recent fire which destroyed our incubator plant. To each and everyone who aided us at this critical time we are deeply indebted.

The Hiser Family.
Sonoma, Dec., 25, 1918.

NICE CROWD ENJOYED WHIST AND DANCE AT CALIENTE

The Agua Caliente Springs hotel with its massive fire place and attractive interior was the scene of a jolly holiday party last Sunday night when whist with turkey prizes and dancing were the attractions for a nice crowd of young folks and the older ones too. Mrs. Ringressy and Mrs. Fred Lewis were among the prize winners of the Christmas birds. So successful was the party that Mrs. Richards is planning a series of affairs during the winter.

Merton Murdock of Vallejo, fiancée of Miss Dorothy Breitenbach attended the dance here last Saturday night.

Harold Weise and Miss Davidson were guests at the Supervisor Weise home Christmas day.

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There has been many cases of sickness reported within the past week but physicians declare that Sonoma valley is experiencing a very much lighter form of the "flu" than the first outbreak. The present cases bear a marked resemblance to the old fashioned grippe and regular winter colds, although patients are advised to exercise every precaution and the doctors are treating them as if for the more deadly influenza.

The Feli Rovai family has been quite sick, also the Joe Kisers, Miss Evelyn Steiger, Miss Vincent of El Verano, B. Cabano of Boyes Springs Mrs. Richard Watt, the Beliros family, Mrs. J. Pochetti Jr., Mrs. L. Quartaroli, Miss Sabina Sebastiani, the Locarnini family of El Verano and others. Dr. Hays reports these cases as making good progress toward recovery.

HAPPY AT HOME COMING PROSPECTS

Le Sougl, France; Nov. 22, 1918.

Dear Friend:

We have received the good news that we will be home soon and it makes us feel very glad. It will seem mighty good to get back to California where the climate is so sunny, especially after being in a country where it is so cold as it is in France.

Am feeling fine and have been promoted to a mechanic. The work keeps me busy all the time but I like it very much. About all we can think of is about being home again as we are all anxious to know how you are all getting along.

Since writing you the last letter we have had a long hard hike and been through our training for the front. The Boches gave up before we could get at them but if we had we would have given them a fight that they could not get over.

Your sincere friend
F. Dal Porto.

Mrs. Olga Gordenker has been down in San Francisco nursing her daughters who have been ill with the "flu". Mrs. Romanov (Martha Gordenker) is still very sick.

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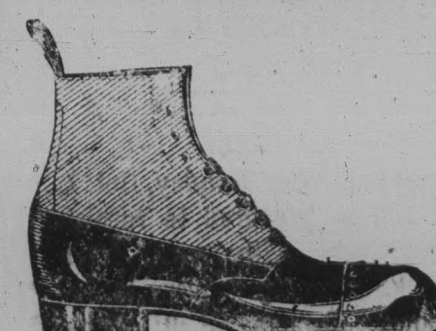
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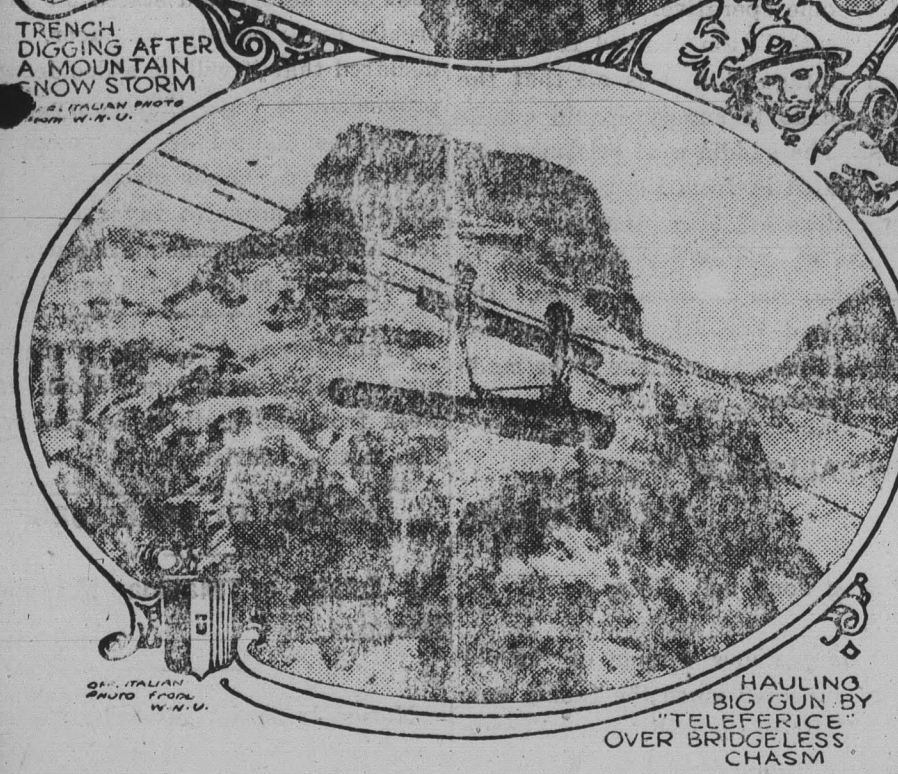
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The blood and treasure of Italy were freely spent in the successful effort to drive Austria-Hungary out of the war. While Italy's efforts were not confined to the Austrian front, her contribution to allied success was greater here than in the other places where her troops fought the battle for civilization. Her financial and industrial efforts have been equal to her military effort, and in all these directions Italy has not lagged behind her allies. That the nature and extent of these efforts may be better understood by the American public, I wish to review them briefly.

Italy Had 5,600,000 Under Arms.

Since the beginning of the war Italy has called to the colors little less than 5,600,000 men and has suffered a loss of almost 1,500,000 of them. Of that loss nearly 350,000 died in battle, and 100,000 from disease. Over 550,000 are totally incapacitated, either by blindness, loss of limb or tuberculosis. At the present moment the strength of the Italian army is 1,025,000, including the class of men born in 1900, who have been called to the colors recently. It may be said, then, that the nation's man-power has suffered a permanent loss of nearly a million.

Fighting Under Extreme Difficulties

Aside from their achievements in other theatres of the war, Italian soldiers have fought through fifteen major offensives on the Isonzo and the Piave, inflicting terrible losses on the foe in each. These campaigns were carried on in mountainous regions and under rigorous weather conditions that taxed to the utmost the genius of the military engineers and the endurance of the troops. The foe, when hostilities opened, were entrenched in carefully prepared and seemingly impregnable positions, backed by a network of military roads and railroads. On the Italian side were deep gorges, unscaleable cliffs, almost impassable glaciers, passes filled with snow and commanded by Austrian forts. There were no bridges, no roads, no means of communication. These difficulties have challenged the admiration of the engineer world.

Economic Difficulties. The magnitude of this military effort can be fully appreciated only when one takes into consideration the economic structure of the nation and the nature and number of its population. One must remember that out of 36,000,000 inhabitants in Italy at the beginning of the war only 17,000,000 were male.

AGENTS, SONOMA, CALIF.

The State Council of Defense has been established in every county of the State. A War History Committee whose duty it is to compile a complete record of the work of the community in the Great War. This committee is to appoint, in the various towns of the county, local committees to assist in the task of collecting material which will be filed away with the State archives at Sacramento. You are asked to respond to this call to the service of your County and your State, a service in which I know you will be glad to render that your community may have its full share in the war records.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA.

EMMA WIRTZ, femme sole, Plaintiff,
vs.
CITY OF SONOMA, a Municipal Corporation, J. L. BERNARD, JAMES ST. GAGER, PERSIFER F. SMITH, and "also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto". Defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Sonoma. STONEY, ROULEAU, STONEY & PALMER, Attorneys for Plaintiff. No. 10928.

SUMMONS.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA. SEND. GREETING TO: City of Sonoma, a municipal corporation, J. L. Bernard, James St. Gager, Persifer F. Smith, and "also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto", defendants.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within this County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

The object of this action is to make the above-named defendants and "also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto", set forth the nature of their claim or claims to the said real property hereinafter described, if any they have, and that such claim or claims be adjudged to be of no effect and void, and that plaintiff's title to the same be quieted against them.

The said real property is all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the former Pueblo of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at the point of intersection of the southwestern line of Russia Street with the northwesterly line of Broadway, said point also being the northeasterly corner of Out Lot No. 546; running thence south 6 degrees 45 minutes west along the said northwesterly line of Broadway 22.82 chains; thence north 83 degrees 40 minutes west 24.41 chains; thence north 6 degrees 15 minutes east 22.69 chains to the said southwesterly line of Russia street; and thence south 83 degrees 32 minutes east along the said southwesterly line of Russia street 24.39 chains to the said point of commencement.

CONTAINING 55.53 acres, more or less.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, this 22nd day of October, A. D. 1918.

(SEAL) W. W. Felt, Jr. Clerk
John Burroughs, Deputy Clerk.
First publication December 14, 1918.

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LOST—skid chain for truck between Sonoma and Agua Caliente, please return to Sonoma Feed Store.

WANTED—Girl or woman to do general housework, good wages and permanent position. Inquire at this office. 2t.

STOVE—For sale, large Home Comfort range, (almost new) 6 lids—cheap. Inquire F. Schell Schellville.

FOR SALE—2 new Goodrich Silver town Cord tires, 34X4, Straight side, price \$50 each. New and used tires for Ford. Inquire Mrs. F. Matsuyama, Broadway. 1-25

FOR SALE—11 months old thoroughbred Berkshire boar. Apply at this office.

STRAW—and volunteer hay for sale. Apply to Carl Jakob. 21-28p

FOR SALE—Volunteer and Red Out Hay, baled at the Waller ranch.

FOR SALE—Spraying outfit, 150 gal capacity, 2 1/2 H. P. engine, 2 line hose etc, with or without truck. Three gang 9 in. vineyard walking plow, good as new and several other single plows. 1 Set heavy chain harness. 1 bay horse, 1600 lbs, 8 yrs. old, work anywhere, too heavy for my use; might trade for 1200 lb. horse broke or unbroke. Inquire at noon hour to F. Picetti, Napa road.

FOR SALE—2 tons No. 1 oat hay in small bales. Forge, drill and anvil. \$40; 300 gal. redwood tank, \$12; 1000 gal. redwood tank, \$17.50; Brass valves and iron fittings, 1/2 in to 2 in; 3 burner kerosene stove with oven, \$24.00. Address Wm. J. Otten, 1 mile south of town on Broadway. 21-28

FOR SALE—Small sized upright J. & C. Fischer piano, \$85. Address P. O. Box 28, Sonoma. 21-28

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FOR SALE—A Ford touring car in A 1 condition. Price reasonable. Apply to B. Manuck, El Verano.

FOR EXCHANGE—Ten room house completely furnished, situated in best location in Napa. Present income \$75 per month. Would consider a ranch, improved or unimproved in Sonoma county. Apply by mail to 715 Third St. Napa, Cal.

FOR SALE—No. 1 Red Out hay, by the bale or ton, Inquire Mrs. F. Matsuyama, Broadway.

FOR SALE—heavy team, well broke and gentle, work single or double, in plow or wagon. Mare 4 years and horse 6, from same mare and stallion, price \$225 with set of plow harness. Randolph, Baxter tract.

IF YOU WANT to buy any kind of a rig CHEAP, go to Bornecke's wagon hospital, Spain St. He has some already cured and some convalescent.

STRAYED—to my place about 2 months ago, Bay mare, weight 700 lbs., white star on forehead. Owner may have same by paying for its keep and this ad. Apply to Mrs. Theo. Richards, Agua Caliente.

FOR SALE—Red seed oats, reasonable. Apply to Irving Brusky or this office.

FOR SALE—Mangel Wurtzel beets for chickens, hogs and cattle. Apply to Erhardt Steiger, Schellville, Phone 12F15.

START RIGHT—Registered Duroc Jersey weanlings, three for thirty-five dollars and satisfaction guaranteed. Brood sows, gilts, one service boar—a good one, come and see them. Red Rock Ranch, Glen Ellen, Cal.

ALL KINDS—of ornamental, fruit trees and plants from Case Nursery Co. Sebastopol. Local agent Chas. Danieli, El Verano. Leave orders there.

FOR SALE—6 horses from 900 to 1400 lbs. Gentle and will work single or double or under the saddle. Also 3 light wagons, 2 buggies and 2 surries, cheap. Apply to F. Jensen, El Verano Postoffice.

Will buy worn out stock, horses, cows, etc. Pay top prices. Phone Bonnyard, 673 or address, J. Giusbergia Box 5 Route A, Sonoma Cal.

RANCH PROPERTY WANTED—If you wish to sell or rent your property we can do it for you. Richard Waller Company, 316 Bush St., San Francisco, or R. C. Waller, Schellville, Phone Sonoma 2222.

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to an Order of the Superior Court of the County of Sonoma, State of California, made and entered on the 16th day of December, 1918, in the Matter of the Estate and Guardianship of Harrison Mecham, et als, minors.

The undersigned, CORINNE B. MECHAM, Guardian of the person and estate of Franklin A. Mecham, one of said minors, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, Gold Coin of the United States, on or after, January 6th, 1919, subject to Confirmation by said Court, all the interest of said minor, Franklin A. Mecham, in and to—

A right of way over and across, all that certain piece and belt of land situate, lying and being in Vallejo Township, Sonoma County, California, having the termini, courses, distances, metes and bounds, ascertained by survey of a line at all points in the middle of said way, following to-wit:

A strip of land Fifty feet wide; Twenty-five feet on each side of the hereinafter described center line, and being a portion of the Mecham Ranch Township 4 North, Range 6 West, M. D. M. all in the Petaluma Rancho.

Beginning at an iron pin marked "C S", driven in the ground in the center line of the road from Petaluma past the Rose Hill School House; said iron pin being in the Westerly line of the Mecham ranch, and from said iron pin the Southeast corner of the Rose Hill School House bears North 25 deg. West 307.0 feet, and the Southwest corner of the tract of land decided by Harrison Mecham to the Petaluma Mutual Relief Association bears North 30 deg. West 98.5 feet; thence from said point of beginning, and along the center line of said road, South 44 deg. 55 min. East 36.7 feet to an iron pin marked "C S"; thence South 55 deg. 55 min. East, 1588.00 feet to an iron pin marked "C S"; thence South 30 deg. 49 min. East 4775.4 feet to an iron pipe marked "C S" on the Southerly line of the lands of said Mecham. Bearings true.

The first two mentioned courses are parallel to and distant 25 feet from the Southerly line of the land of the Petaluma Mutual Relief Association. Bids or offers must be in writing, and may be left at the Law Offices of F. A. Meyer, Corner of Main Street and Western Avenue, Petaluma, California, or delivered to said Guardian, personally, at her residence, Sonoma County, California, or filed in the Office of the Clerk of said Court, at any time after the first publication of this Notice, to-wit: After December 21st., 1918, and before making the sale. Dated December 18th., 1918.

CORINNE B. MECHAM
As Guardian of the person and estate of Franklin A. Mecham, one of said minors.
F. A. MEYER
Attorney for Guardian.
Date of First Publication, Dec. 21st., 1918.

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VINEBURG

Miss Henrietta Weber, formerly of Sonoma and well known vocalist was the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Grover Rubke.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Batto and family were the guests of Mrs. Chas. McDevitt on Christmas day.

We exchanged greetings on Christmas day with our old friend Tom Mulen of San Francisco. Tom, at one time was the El Verano correspondent to the Index-Tribune of Sonoma and he was as bright as they make them.

We return our sincere thanks to the "Pretty Little Girl" we always spoke so well of for her cordial holiday wishes and they will not be forgotten.

Mr. and Mrs. Enrico Forni and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhode and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Martin at Vineburg Inn on Christmas and enjoyed an elaborate dinner and passed a pleasant day.

Miss Helen Forni of Vineburg and Miss Margaret McDevitt of Sonoma, visited Misses Louise and Emily Batto on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. J. Rector, Misses Harboe and Theresa Mayer of San Francisco were entertained by Mrs. Rector at her pretty home in Vineburg on Christmas day.

EASY JIM

Prof. F. A. Myers of Salem, Oregon has been the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Waltz. Mr. Waltz went to school to the well known educator many years ago.

A Christmas tree with an offering for the hapless children of stricken Armenia was the Christmas eve feature at the M. E. Church Tuesday. Frances Barr represented the child of Armenia and Thelma Cliff, the Red Cross.

RICHMOND-SAN RAFAEL FERRY TIME TABLE
Effective Monday, Oct. 28, 1918.

LEAVE POINT RICHMOND—Daily (except Sunday) 7:30, 9:38, 11:30 a. m. 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, p. m.

Sundays—7:30, 9:00, 10:30, a. m. 12:00m., 2:00, 3:30, 5:00, 6:30, p. m.

LEAVE POINT SAN QUENTIN—Daily (except Sunday) 8:15, 10:15 a. m. 12:15, 2:15, 4:15, 6:15, p. m. Sundays—8:15, 9:45, 11:15 a. m. 12:45, 2:45, 4:15, 5:45, 7:15, Principal Holidays: Sunday Schedule Effective.

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GEYSERVILLE MAN PAYS BONUS TO VINEYARDISTS

John Rose of Geyserville is paying the men from whom he purchased grapes this season as high as \$60 per ton. When Mr. Rose made his contracts in the early part of the season he stipulated with the growers that in the seven wine should reach a certain price per gallon during the season, he would pay them an additional amount on their grapes per ton, which would bring the price up to a maximum of \$60 per ton.

Mr. Rose is now busily engaged making out additional checks for the amounts to bring the portion of the growers up to the maximum, and this is most pleasing to those who sold their grapes to Mr. Rose. The later is one of the most prominent winery and vineyard men of the Geyserville section and likewise is a progressive man in his chosen business. He has been in the Geyserville section for many years past and is well known all over the section of the state.

In case the vineyardists have to go out of business, Mr. Rose will have an income of \$8,000 per year from his prune orchard.

The gentleman expects to make \$40,000 this year, which will tide him over for a brief time in case he is forced by government regulations to go out of the wine business.

—Santa Rosa Republican.

John Lopus has seventeen sponsors on his petition for the renewal of the liquor license for the Cotati hotel to be acted upon by the board of supervisors at the special session called for December 30. There is a remonstrance against the license signed by 155 residents of Cotati and the allegations include charges that he has sold liquor to minors and allowed gambling on the premises. It is also stated that there are not 35 rooms in the hotel as required by law.

Miss Bessie Venton who is spending the holidays at Madrone will take a position at the Home after the first of the year.

Twenty-five convalescent boxes were made by the Manual training department of the High School for Red Cross use.

Mrs. L. P. Rixford who recently celebrated her 100th birthday passed away quietly and peacefully in San Francisco last week. She was a prominent resident here in early days.

The Misses Aguilon have given up their apartment in San Francisco and returned here permanently to make their home on Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wadsworth were the Christmas guests of their daughter, Mrs. Lochiel King, and family in Alameda this year although for the holiday.

Mrs. Terrill Holt (nee Helena Clewe) has been very ill and in S. F. hospital. The baby boy has been here with the Will Clewe family.

W. D. Foley of the Navy has been in New York and is expected home shortly after cruising many thousand miles since the war. Mrs. Foley hopes to welcome him here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Murphy were entertained most hospitably over the Christmas and Christmas holiday by San Francisco friends.

Misses Norine and Marie Dower, who are yeomanettes at the Mare Island Navy Yard were home at Glen Ellen for Christmas.

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PRUNE AND PLOW BIG VINEYARDS DESPITE OUTLOOK

Despite the black outlook for the vine and wine industry of California next season, the big Rhine farm vineyards of the Gundlach-Bundschu Wine company is being plowed and pruned. The fine acreage which has yielded many world famous vintages cannot be allowed to retrograde, so its owners deemed it wise to keep it up to the high state of cultivation which it has always enjoyed until the prohibition question is disposed of definitely. If the crop cannot be disposed of or made into wine this year, it may be possible to make wine in 1920 when demobilization will certainly have been completed and before the national prohibition menace would become operative.

So great is the demand for Rhine farm vintage that it is all that the firm can do to supply its old customers. The middle west salesman has been called in from the road and no new orders are being sought.

Most of the output now goes to Australia, the Eastern states, the Orient and our island possessions. Large shipments continue to be made from Vineburg.

COW FALLS INTO WELL AT EL VERANO

"Ding dong bell, Bossy's in the well".

So goes a new version of the old rhyme invented since the family cow of L. Mounyer, the well known Verano real estate man took a cow slip and fell into an old well on the Mounyer place last Sunday. It is not known just how the bovine got in so deep, but it is said the wind blew her in and that she blew one of her horns to give the alarm. Then her owner and his friends all came a'running for they did not want any water to get into the milk although it is said that lots of dairymen would give anything for such a well. To make a long story short, an improvised derrick was rigged up to rescue monsieur's cow and thereby hangs a tail. Of neighborly response and help there was a plenty, for Mr. Mounyer is a man of many friends. The cow was unharmed by the experience and "all is well that ends well."

Carl Poppe had a furlough and was home for Christmas.

Jimmy Fields, the talented boy singer who has been quite sick is now much better.

A big shell which is a relic of battle in France sent by Ed. Regucsi is attracting much attention in Clewe's window.

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